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The undersigned, on behalf of the petitioner, SEIKO EPSON CORPORATION, represents that the petitioner, SEIKO EPSON CORPORATION is the owner of the entire right, title and interest of U.S. Application No. 10/147,916, filed on May 20, 2002 for Printing By Switching Sub-Scan Feeding Between Monochromatic And Color Areas by virtue of an Assignment from all of the inventors thereof executed on June 19, 2002, recorded on July 22, 2002 at Reel 013135, Frame 0433, now issued as U.S. Patent 6,629,744 as well as the entire right, title and interest in the above-captioned U.S. Application No. 10/600,514 by virtue of an Assignment from all of the inventors thereof executed on June 19, 2002, recorded on July 22, 2002, at Reel 013135, Frame 0433.

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The undersigned is an attorney of record.

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